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Dear Arnold:

I greatly enjoyed our conversations with you and your colleagues during our visit last month. Your views on the proposed research project to study contemporary Soviet society were cogent and practical. There is no question that the Center possesses a unique set of qualifications.

The discussions with Jeremy Azrael, Harry Gelman, and Abe Becker were both interesting and relevant. Jeremy's prospective association with the Center would be particularly valuable. We are continuing to evaluate the concept.

Additionally, we are continuing our efforts to secure Congressional support for program funding. Once this is assured, and on behalf of the Intelligence Community, we plan to submit a competitive request for proposal (RFP) to those institutions that appear qualified. The Rand/UCLA Center, clearly, is a strong contender.

Please express our sincere thanks to the members of your staff and to Morlie Graubard and Michael Klecheski for their administrative, lodging, and transportation assistance.

With warm regards,



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